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Box Non-Fee Amendment Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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In connection with the above-referenced U. S. patent application, transmitted herewith are the following papers:

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[x]	Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 to official action mailed October 19, 2001.
[]	A petition for extension of time is also enclosed with a fee of \$0.00 for a one-
	month extension for a small entity.
[]	Terminal disclaimer under 37 C.F. R. § 1.321(c), including
	[] check for \$110.00 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d), and
	[] 2 certificates under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).
[]	Information disclosure statement, form 1449 and references.
[x]	No additional claims fees are required.

[] An additional fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

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In response to the Official Action mailed **October 19, 2001**, please consider the following amendments and remarks.